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(AP) — The United States protested to the Soviet Union today against the arrest and secret detention for seven weeks of two Americans who toured the U. S. S. R. in the summer.

The two, Harvey C. Bennett of Bath, Me., and Mark I. Kanish, Me., and Mark I. Kanish, T. Cass County, Mich., were released recently by the Russaps, who said they were "expelled" from the Soviet Union.

The Americans were accused of going into a restricted area. Mr. Kaminsky was tried and convicted of espionage charges, the Russians said.

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